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COMMUNICATION SYSTEM

SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 5, 2002, and as a supplement to the Response filed March 5, 2003, please consider the remarks as submitted herewith.

Claims 1-6 are all the claims pending in the application.

Claim 1 is rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 102(b) as being anticipated by previously-cited Kondo (JP 05-091009). Claims 2, 3, and 5 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Kondo in view of newly-cited Akerberg (US 6,483,826). Claims 4 and 6 are objected to as being dependent upon a rejected base claim, but would be allowable if rewritten in independent form including all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims. Applicant responds to the rejections in the following manner.

Applicant submits herewith a certified English translation of the foreign priority document (Korean Patent Application No. 98-63169), thereby perfecting priority. By perfecting